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In re Application of: Rudolf Reichert) Art Unit: 2831

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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT REGARDING DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are 12 sheets of formal drawings (15 figures). Specifically, in an Office Action mailed August 7, 2007, the Patent Office objected to the drawings. The designation "Replacement Sheet" has been added in the top margin.

Favorable reconsideration of the proposed drawing corrections is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure: Corrected Drawings (12 sheets)